EXHIBIT # 5

- 1 (EXCERPT)
- THE COURT: All right. Let me get to the bottom
- 3 line. I understand there's a lot at stake here, and we have,
- 4 you know, a dispute that's far beyond this copyright dispute,
- 5 but I've got to deal with this in a copyright manner.
- I think that the facts are -- the relevant facts are
- 7 really not debatable, and I'm going to just -- I'm doing this
- 8 off the top of my head. If somebody wants to appeal, I'm
- 9 going to have to write it up. I think it's just not very
- 10 complex.
- 11 There was some incident in Mr. Bond's life in which
- 12 he was accused and pleaded to a crime in Ohio. He was
- 13 represented by Gerald Messerman, an extremely fine lawyer,
- 14 with whom I had the privilege of going to law school and
- 15 actually practiced in law with Mr. Messerman, so he was
- 16 certainly represented by as good a lawyer as you'll find in
- 17 Ohio or wherever else, present company perhaps excluded and
- 18 perhaps not.
- 19 Whatever it was, he came to Baltimore. This
- 20 relationship started with a person who's now Mrs. Bond.
- 21 There's a custody battle, all of which we get involved with.
- He had written up a manuscript, which was a version,
- 23 but be it fiction or real or something in between is not here
- 24 to be determined, because in fact he wrote it or wrote most of
- 25 it, so that's not an issue.